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U - Mr. Lovett

SUBJECT: Transmitting two UNA papers on U.S. Policy with Respect to Palestine.

I am transmitting to you herewith two papers on U. S. Policy with Respect to Palestine prepared in UNA.

The first paper recommends that the U. S. should initiate or support Chapter VII action in the Security Council of UN if, in the view of the U. S., developments in Palestine constitute a threat to or breach of international peace.

The second paper suggests a territorial solution of the Palestine problem.

On the understanding that the resort to Chapter VII in case of truce violation is already established U. S. policy, S/P has no objection to these papers so far as they go. We may, however, wish to present in the near future certain comments on the implications of this course.

George F. Kennan

Attachments:

1. June 22 paper on US action in Security Council re Palestine.
2. Paper entitled "Peaceful Adjustment of the Future Situation of Palestine".

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